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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: APPROPRIATE DRESS FOR TANZANIA IN SEPTEMBER

1. TANZANIA IS ONE OF WORLD'S MOST INFORMAL COUNTRIES WITH REGARD TO DRESS. BUSINESS SUITS ARE ALWAYS ACCEPTABLE. NORMAL DAYTIME WEAR FOR TANZANIANS AND VISITORS IS A SAFARI SUIT (TROUSERS WITH MATCHING SHIRT/JACKET) OR SHIRT AND SLACKS (WITH OR WITHOUT TIE). IN BOTH CASES SLEEVES ARE USUALLY SHORT. FOR AMERICANS, EVENING ALTERNATIVE TO BUSINESS OR SAFARI SUIT IS SHIRT AND TIE WITH SLACKS, WITH SPORTS JACKET IF DESIRED.

2. FOR FORMAL EVENTS -- E.G., CALLS ON HIGH OFFICIALS -- APPROPRIATE DRESS IS DARK BUSINESS SUIT.

3. FOR WOMEN, NORMAL DAYTIME WEAR IS CASUAL COTTON DRESSES AND SKIRTS AND BLOUSES, WITH HEM LENGTHS JUST BELOW THE KNEE. SLACKS ARE ACCEPTABLE, BUT ARE RARELY WORN AND CAN BE TOO HOT DURING THE DAYTIME. SAND, DIRT, AND UNEVEN SIDEWALKS MAKE STURDY, CLOSED SHOES DESIRABLE. FOR EVENING WEAR, LONG DRESSES, OR LONG SKIRTS WITH BLOUSES, ARE USUALLY WORN.

4. WEATHER IN SEPTEMBER IS HOT DURING THE DAYTIME(OFTEN HIGH 80'S), AND MODERATELY HUMID.EVENINGS ARE COOLER, AND A LIGHT WRAP IS SOMETIMES DESIRABLE FOR OUTDOOR EVENING EVENTS. THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WEATHER IS GENERALLY DRY, BUT THERE ARE OCCASIONAL RAIN

SHOWERS; BECAUSE OF THE HEAT, RAINCOATS CAN BE VERY UNCOMFORTABLE  
AND MOST PEOPLE CARRY ONLY UMBRELLAS.  
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